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**APPLICATION NUMBER: NDA 20-571/S-008**

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**CLINICAL PHARMACOLOGY AND  
BIOPHARMACEUTICS REVIEW(S)**

**CLINICAL PHARMACOLOGY AND BIOPHARMACEUTICS REVIEW  
OF A SUPPLEMENTAL NEW DRUG APPLICATION**

**NDA 20,571/SE7-008**

**Submission Date: April 17, 1998**

**Drug Name:** Camptosar® (Irinotecan HCl)

**Formulation:** Injectable

**Sponsor:** Pharmacia & Upjohn Company  
Kalamazoo, MI 49001

**Reviewer:** Lydia V. Kieffer, Pharm.D.

**Type of Submission:** Supplement from accelerated approval to full approval status for the current second-line indication.

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**SYNOPSIS**

Irinotecan is a topoisomerase I inhibitor and a derivative of camptothecin. Pharmacia & Upjohn Company have submitted this supplemental NDA to support a transition from the present accelerated approval status to full approval status for the current indication for the treatment of patients with metastatic carcinoma of the colon or rectum whose disease has recurred or progressed following 5-fluorouracil (5-FU)-based therapy. An additional dose is being proposed for the same indication. The current dose consist of a starting dose of 125 mg/m<sup>2</sup> weekly for 4 weeks followed by 2 weeks of rest. An additional dose is being proposed in which patients will receive 350 mg/m<sup>2</sup> once every 3 weeks.

In support of the new dosing regimen, the sponsor has submitted 3 pharmacokinetic studies: one study has been conducted in the U.S. and is in a phase I setting, the other two pharmacokinetic studies were conducted in Europe (one is a phase I and the other a phase II study) and were submitted as supportive studies to the U.S. study. The two European studies have been published in a peer-reviewed journal and the articles were submitted.

**U.S. Phase I Study (P&U Study M/6475/0024) - Miller 1998**

A single-center, open-label, uncontrolled, dose-escalation phase I trial was conducted in order to identify the MTD of irinotecan administered at a starting dose of 240 mg/m<sup>2</sup> infused over 90 minutes once every three weeks, in patients with solid tumors for which no standard therapy was available. Subsequent dose levels for additional patient accrual included 290, 320, 340, 390, 450, 520, 600, 690, and 760 mg/m<sup>2</sup>. CPT-11 was supplied by Pharmacia & Upjohn. Tumor types included colorectal (N=32), esophagus (N=1), and gall bladder (N=1). The pharmacokinetic objective of this study was to obtain a pharmacokinetic profile of CPT-11 and its metabolites, SN-38 and SN-38-glucuronide (SN-38G), at the doses and schedule previously

mentioned. Plasma samples were collected from 34 patients (21 males/13 females) on week 1 of their first cycle. However, patients were allowed to continue therapy until tumor progression, unacceptable toxicity, serious intercurrent illness, or withdrawal at the patient's request. Time points of blood sampling were pre-infusion, 45 and 90 minutes after the start of the infusion, then at 5, 10, 15, 30 minutes, and at 1, 2, 4, 6, 8, 10, 12, 24, 32, and 48 hours post infusion. Plasma sampling was collected out to 4 t<sub>1/2</sub>s for CPT-11, 2 t<sub>1/2</sub>s for SN-38, and almost 3 t<sub>1/2</sub>s for SN-38G. Plasma samples were assayed for CPT-11 and SN-38 through methods previously described. SN-38G was estimated as the increase in SN-38 concentration following incubation of plasma with  $\beta$ -glucuronidase (see Assay methods section). Pharmacokinetic parameters were calculated through non-compartmental methods. The MTD was identified to be 320 mg/m<sup>2</sup> for patients who had not received prior abdominal and/or pelvic radiotherapy (AP-RT) and 290 mg/m<sup>2</sup> for patients with prior APRT. Six patients received 340 mg/m<sup>2</sup>, of which 3 were  $\geq$  65 years of age. One of the six patients (a 46 year old previously treated man) was able to tolerate more than 1 cycle at the 340 mg/m<sup>2</sup> dose level (received 3 cycles). The rest of the patients received 1 cycle. DLTs were diarrhea and neutropenia for no prior AP-RT and diarrhea, neutropenia, and vomiting for patients with prior AP-RT. CPT-11 concentrations predominated in human plasma with a C<sub>max</sub> observed usually at the end of the 90-minute infusion and a mean elimination half-life of 12 hours. SN-38 and SN-38G C<sub>max</sub> levels were about 60-fold and 20-fold lower than the corresponding CPT-11 levels, respectively. Mean CPT-11 CL and Vd values (13.0  $\pm$  3.8 L/h/m<sup>2</sup> and 227  $\pm$  85.9 L/m<sup>2</sup>) across all dose levels were comparable to previously reported values. A summary of all pharmacokinetic parameters for all dose levels can be found in Table A-3 of the appendix. Large interpatient variability in CPT-11, SN-38, and SN-38G AUC<sub>0- $\infty$</sub>  values were observed possibly due to small patient numbers at each dose level making a dose proportionality assessment not possible. The mean metabolic ratio (percent SN-38 AUC<sub>0- $\infty$</sub>  /CPT-11 AUC<sub>0- $\infty$</sub> ) was 3.3% of the parent AUC<sub>0- $\infty$</sub> . No differences of statistical significance in CPT-11 dose-normalized C<sub>max</sub>, dose-normalized AUC<sub>0- $\infty$</sub> , CL, Vd, or t<sub>1/2</sub> were observed across the dose range of 240-340 mg/m<sup>2</sup> when an analysis of variance was performed. A relationship between CPT-11, SN-38, or SN-38G AUC<sub>0- $\infty$</sub>  values and CPT-11 dose were not observed possibly due to sampling. The sponsor believes that the lack of observed correlation between AUC<sub>0- $\infty$</sub>  and dose is likely related to interpatient variability, the small numbers of patients examined at each dose level, and the narrow dose range over which AUC<sub>0- $\infty$</sub>  values were determined. One colorectal cancer patient died suddenly while on study after receiving their third cycle of therapy. Grade 1 and 2 adverse events were reported during the first 2 courses of therapy. During cycle one the patient experienced grade 2 dyspnea lasting 8 days which resulted in a dose reduction to 240 mg/m<sup>2</sup> for the subsequent second and third cycle. The principal investigator considered the death to be treatment related; however the study director attributed the death to atherosclerotic coronary artery disease due to the patients smoking history, hypertension, diabetes mellitus, and peripheral vascular disease. No toxicokinetics were reported on this patient. Study results have been included in the appendix for additional information.

### European Phase I Study ( Study CPT-101) – Abigerges 1995

A phase I and pharmacologic study was conducted in 64 patients (24 women/40 men) with solid tumors refractory to standard therapy in order to determine the MTD of CPT-11 administered as a 30-minute IV infusion every 3 weeks and describe any toxicities of the drug. The pharmacokinetic objective of the study was to describe CPT-11 and SN-38 from a pharmacokinetic perspective and observe any pharmacokinetic/pharmacodynamic relationships the drug may have. Primary sites of involvement included colon, head and neck, lung, and pleura. CPT-11 was supplied by

The starting dose was 100 mg/m<sup>2</sup> every 3 weeks with subsequent escalation levels of 150, 200, 230, 260, 300, 350, 400, 450, 500, 600, and 750 mg/m<sup>2</sup> with no inpatient dose escalation permitted. Blood sampling was performed at time 0, then at 10, 20, and 30 minutes during the 30-minute infusion followed by additional collection at 5, 10, 15, 30, 45 and 60 minutes, and at 2, 4, 8, 12, 24, and 36 hours postinfusion. Blood sampling was collected to 96 hours in 20 cases in order to better determine the terminal t<sub>1/2</sub> of both CPT-11 and SN-38. Urine sampling was also collected at 6-hour fractions. CPT-11 and SN-38 levels were determined by methods described in the assay section of this review. Pharmacokinetic information for analysis was obtained from 60 patients (94 courses) of which 7 were at the 350 mg/m<sup>2</sup> dose level. The recommended dose from this phase I trial due to safety reasons is 350 mg/m<sup>2</sup> every 3 weeks even though the observed MTD was 600 mg/m<sup>2</sup> IV over 30 minutes every 3 weeks with dose-limiting granulocytopenia. At the recommended dose, the use of high-dose loperamide was required due to significant diarrhea in order to dose escalate any further. Mean CPT-11 C<sub>max</sub> levels ranged from 2.3 to 13 µg/mL with either a biphasic or triphasic decay profile that demonstrated a terminal phase t<sub>1/2</sub> of 14.2 ± 0.9 hours in both cases. The mean V<sub>d</sub> was 157 ± 8 L/m<sup>2</sup> and was stable as a function of dose, CL (mean 15 L/h/ m<sup>2</sup>) did not vary with increases in doses either, demonstrating linearity. Interpatient variability was observed in CPT-11 total AUC; but a direct relationship was noted between CPT-11 doses and corresponding CPT-11 total AUCs (r = 0.86, P < 0.001). Mean SN-38 C<sub>max</sub> levels ranged from 32 to 299 ng/mL with a T<sub>max</sub> of 1.1 hours from the start of the infusion. Mean apparent terminal t<sub>1/2</sub> of SN-38 was 13.8 ± 1.4 hours mirroring that of CPT-11. SN-38 AUC was directly related to the CPT-11 dose (r = 0.60, P < 0.001) and correlated significantly to corresponding CPT-11 AUC (r = 0.60, P < 0.001, data not included in article), possibly demonstrating linearity. Urinary excretion of CPT-11 and SN-38 accounted for 19.9 ± 1.4% and 0.25 ± 0.03% of the CPT-11 dose, respectively. Saliva samples were collected from 2 patients receiving the 450 mg/m<sup>2</sup> dose level at the end of the infusion representing 105 and 28% of the corresponding plasma concentration. One patient at the same dose level had sweat samples analyzed which represented 11% of the corresponding plasma sample at the end of the infusion. Two patients underwent pleural fluid sampling collection representing 7 and 19% of the corresponding plasma level at the end of the infusion at the dose level of 300 mg/m<sup>2</sup>. Rebound plasma concentrations of CPT-11 and SN-38 were observed at about 0.5 to 1 hour post infusion, possibly indicative of enterohepatic recycling. A significant percent decrease in WBCs and granulocytes was observed with increase of CPT-11 and SN-38

AUCs. A direct correlation between CPT-11 and SN-38 AUC increases with diarrhea, nausea, and vomiting was noted. One patient died on day 8 of study who presented in renal failure and encephalopathy with status epilepticus after receiving the 400 mg/m<sup>2</sup> dose level; however no toxicokinetic data was available in the article and an autopsy was not performed. The full literature report can be found in the appendix.

Abigeres D, Chabot GG, Armand JP, Herait P, Gouyette A, Gandia D. Phase I and pharmacologic studies of the camptothecin analog irinotecan administered every 3 weeks in cancer patients. *J Clin Oncol* 1995; 13: 210-21.

### Phase II Study ( Study CPT-205) – Canal 1996<sub>1</sub>

A pharmacokinetic and pharmacodynamic study was performed during a phase II trial in 213 advanced colorectal cancer patients (26 men/21 women for pharmacokinetic assessment) previously treated with adjuvant and/or one regimen of palliative 5-FU based therapy. The pharmacokinetic objectives of this trial was to estimate the pharmacokinetic parameters, define interpatient and inpatient pharmacokinetic variations and to investigate pharmacokinetic/pharmacodynamic relationships with respect toxicity and clinical outcome of CPT-11 and its metabolites. The 47 patients involved in the pharmacokinetic assessment portion of the phase II study represented the study population well in terms of age, sex, performance status, primary tumor site, metastatic sites, and previous chemotherapeutic treatment history. Thirty-three out of the 47 patients had pharmacokinetic assessment for SN-38G. Cpt-11 was supplied by The phase II dose was 350 mg/m<sup>2</sup> IV over 30 minutes once every three weeks. A limited sampling strategy developed by Chabot<sub>2</sub> was adopted for this trial in which three CPT-11 plasma sample collection times (time 0, then 0.5, 1, and 6 hours postinfusion) was used to estimate CPT-11 and SN-38 pharmacokinetics. CPT-11 and SN-38 extraction was performed by HPLC methods described in the assay section of this review. Mean CPT-11 total CL was  $15.2 \pm 4.3$  L/h·m<sup>2</sup>. Mean relative metabolic ratio of total SN-38 AUC to CPT-11 AUC ( $(AUC_{SN-38} + AUC_{SN-38G})/AUC_{CPT-11}$ ) was  $0.17 \pm 0.09$ . Extensive glucuronidation of SN-38 to SN-38G was evidenced by a 6.5-fold higher AUC for SN-38G than for SN-38. Interindividual variation in CPT-11, SN-38, and SN-38G AUCs was 30%, 89.5%, and 70.4%, respectively. Interestingly, interindividual variation in the metabolic ratio was 51.6%. Twenty-three patients received more than one cycle of chemotherapy and were part of the intraindividual pharmacokinetic analysis which revealed a coefficient of variation in CPT-11 CL of 13.5%. The CVs in AUC for SN-38 and SN-38G were 35.1% and 37.9%, respectively. The corresponding intraindividual metabolic ratio was 32.6%. Pharmacokinetic analysis was performed during the first cycle in 40 out of the 47 patients enrolled and cycle number did not seem to influence any of the pharmacokinetic parameters of CPT-11, SN-38, or metabolic ratios. A relationship between the percent reduction in neutrophil count and CPT-11 and SN-38 AUC ( $r = 0.597$ ,  $P < 0.001$  and  $r = 0.559$ ,  $P < 0.001$ , respectively) was observed when an analysis of hematologic toxicity was performed during the first cycle of therapy. A minor relationship between the intensity of delayed diarrhea and CPT-11 AUC was observed ( $P = 0.042$ ). No relationship was observed between tumor response and CPT-11, SN-38, and SN-38G pharmacokinetic parameters.

1. Canal P, Gay C, Dezeuze A, Douillard JY, Bugat R, Brunet R, Adenis A, Herait P, Lokiec F, Mathieu-Boue A. Pharmacokinetics and pharmacodynamics of irinotecan during a phase II clinical trial in colorectal cancer. *J Clin Oncol* 1996; 14(10): 2688-95.
2. Chabot GG: Development of limited sampling models for the simultaneous estimation of irinotecan (CPT-11) and active metabolite SN-38 pharmacokinetics. *Cancer Chemother Pharmacol* 1995; 36: 463-472.

## Assay Methods:

### Studies CPT-101 and CPT-205:

These two literature reports utilized an assay previously described in the original NDA submission located in Volume 1.38, page 6/3/81.

## COMMENTS:

### General

- 1) In study 0024 the MTD was identified to be 320 mg/m<sup>2</sup> for patients who had not received prior abdominal and/or pelvic radiotherapy (AP-RT) and 290 mg/m<sup>2</sup> for patients with prior APRT. Six patients received 340 mg/m<sup>2</sup>, of which 3 were ≥ 65 years of age. One of the six patients (a 46 year old previously treated man) was able to tolerate more than 1 cycle at the 340 mg/m<sup>2</sup> dose level (received 3 cycles). The rest of the patients received 1 cycle. DLTs were diarrhea and neutropenia for no prior AP-RT and diarrhea, neutropenia, and vomiting for patients with prior AP-RT.

Large interpatient variability in CPT-11, SN-38, and SN-38G AUC<sub>0-∞</sub> values were observed possibly due to small patient numbers at each dose level making a dose proportionality assessment not possible. No differences of statistical significance in CPT-11 dose-normalized C<sub>max</sub>, dose-normalized AUC<sub>0-∞</sub>, CL, Vd, or t<sub>1/2</sub> were observed across the dose range of \_\_\_\_\_ mg/m<sup>2</sup> when an analysis of variance was performed. A relationship between CPT-11, SN-38, or SN-38G AUC<sub>0-∞</sub> values

and CPT-11 dose were not observed possibly due to sampling. The Agency concurs that the lack of observed correlation between  $AUC_{0-\infty}$  and dose may be related to interpatient variability, the small numbers of patients examined at each dose level, and the narrow dose range over which  $AUC_{0-\infty}$  values were determined.

Reasons that may explain why the MTD in this trial was 320 mg/m<sup>2</sup> for patients with no prior APRT and 290 mg/m<sup>2</sup> for patients with prior APRT may lie in the smaller number of patients, worse baseline performance status, and overall older patients that were enrolled in comparison to the European trial.

Even though the US trial (0024) was unable to achieve the MTD that the two European trials achieved, the CL of CPT-11 across the 3 submitted pharmacokinetic studies indicate consistency in the pharmacokinetic results as evidenced by table A-7 in the appendix (mean of  $13.9 \pm 4$  L/h/m<sup>2</sup> for US study 0024,  $11 \pm 2$  L/h/m<sup>2</sup> for study 101, and  $15.2 \pm 4.3$  L/h/m<sup>2</sup> for study 205). The t<sub>1/2</sub> in study 0024 and 101 were reported as similar ( $11.7 \pm 1$ , and  $11.2 \pm 1.3$ , respectively) as well.

- 2) The Agency will be awaiting the submission of the non-IND pediatric studies results mentioned in Volume 17.1, page 2/1/5 for review and possible consideration for inclusion in the labeling at that time.
- 3) We remind the sponsor that our original agreement to complete and submit results from 4 Clinical Pharmacology and Biopharmaceutics studies outlined in our letter dated June 14<sup>th</sup>, 1996 specifically on pages 3 and 4 is an essential element to approval.

## Labeling

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**RECOMMENDATION:**

- 1) We remind the sponsor to adequately address the Clinical Pharmacology and Biopharmaceutics commitments stated in the Agency's original letter dated June 14<sup>th</sup>, 1996.
- 2) Please forward the above general comments to the sponsor.
- 3) Please forward the above labeling comments to the sponsor.
- 4) The sponsor should make the necessary changes to the proposed package insert according to the labeling comments provided in the comments section of the review.

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**ADMINISTRATIVE DOCUMENTS**



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Attention: John S. Walker  
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Dear: Mr Walker,

We acknowledge receipt of your supplemental application for the following:

Name of Drug: CAMPTOSAR Injection

NDA Number: 20-571

Supplement Number: S-008

Date of Supplement: April 17, 1998

Date of Receipt: April 22, 1998

Unless we find the application not acceptable for filing, this application will be filed under Section 505(b)(1) of the Act on June 21, 1998 in accordance with 21 CFR 314.101(a).

All communications concerning this NDA should be addressed as follows:

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SUPPLEMENT ACKNOWLEDGEMENT

**ITEM 13 & 14**  
**PATENT INFORMATION AND CERTIFICATION**

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| 1. Active Ingredient                      | Irinotecan hydrochloride   |
| 2. Strengths                              | 20 mg/mL<br>(100 mg/5 mL and 40 mg/2 mL)   |
| 3. Tradename                              | CAMPTOSAR® Injection   |
| 4. Dosage Form<br>Route of Administration | Injection<br>Intravenous   |
| 5. Applicant Firm Name                    | Pharmacia & Upjohn   |
| 6. NDA Number                             | 20-571   |
| 7. Approval Date                          | June 14, 1996 (original NDA)   |
| 8. Patent Information                     | Irinotecan hydrochloride is claimed <i>per se</i> in United States Patent 4,604,463, which expires August 15, 2007   |
| 9. Patent Certification                   | Pharmacia & Upjohn hereby certifies that irinotecan hydrochloride is claimed <i>per se</i> in United States Patent 4,604,463 which expires August 15, 2007 |

EXCLUSIVITY SUMMARY for NDA # sNDA 20-571 SUPPL # 5-008

Trade Name Camptasar Injection Generic Name irinotecan hydrochloride injection

Applicant Name Pharmacia & Upjohn HFD- 150

Approval Date, if known \_\_\_\_\_

**PART I IS AN EXCLUSIVITY DETERMINATION NEEDED?**

1. An exclusivity determination will be made for all original applications, but only for certain supplements. Complete PARTS II and III of this Exclusivity Summary only if you answer "yes" to one or more of the following question about the submission.

a) Is it an original NDA? YES /  / NO /  /

b) Is it an effectiveness supplement? YES /  / NO /  /

If yes, what type? (SE1, SE2, etc.) SE7  
*Full Approval Status from Accelerated Approval Status.*

c) Did it require the review of clinical data other than to support a safety claim or change in labeling related to safety? (If it required review only of bioavailability or bioequivalence data, answer "no.")

YES /  / NO /  /

If your answer is "no" because you believe the study is a bioavailability study and, therefore, not eligible for exclusivity, EXPLAIN why it is a bioavailability study, including your reasons for disagreeing with any arguments made by the applicant that the study was not simply a bioavailability study.

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If it is a supplement requiring the review of clinical data but it is not an effectiveness supplement, describe the change or claim that is supported by the clinical data:

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d) Did the applicant request exclusivity?

YES /\_\_\_/ NO /X/

If the answer to (d) is "yes," how many years of exclusivity did the applicant request?

IF YOU HAVE ANSWERED "NO" TO ALL OF THE ABOVE QUESTIONS, GO DIRECTLY TO THE SIGNATURE BLOCKS ON PAGE 8.

2. Has a product with the same active ingredient(s), dosage form, strength, route of administration, and dosing schedule, previously been approved by FDA for the same use? (Rx-to-OTC switches should be answered NO-please indicate as such.)

YES /X/ NO /\_\_\_/ OTC Switch /\_\_\_/

If yes, NDA # 20-571

Drug Name Comptosar (irinotecan hydrochloride injection) Injection

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IF THE ANSWER TO QUESTION 2 IS "YES," GO DIRECTLY TO THE SIGNATURE BLOCKS ON PAGE 8.

3. Is this drug product or indication a DESI upgrade?

YES /\_\_\_/ NO /X/

IF THE ANSWER TO QUESTION 3 IS "YES," GO DIRECTLY TO THE SIGNATURE BLOCKS ON PAGE 8 (even if a study was required for the upgrade).

## PART II FIVE-YEAR EXCLUSIVITY FOR NEW CHEMICAL ENTITIES

(Answer either #1 or #2 as appropriate)

1. Single active ingredient product.

Has FDA previously approved under section 505 of the Act any drug product containing the same active moiety as the drug under consideration? Answer "yes" if the active moiety (including other esterified forms, salts, complexes, chelates or clathrates) has been previously approved, but this particular form of the active moiety, e.g., this particular ester or salt (including salts with hydrogen or coordination bonding) or other non-covalent derivative (such as a complex, chelate, or clathrate) has not been approved. Answer "no" if the compound requires metabolic conversion (other than deesterification of an esterified form of the drug) to produce an already approved active moiety.

YES /\_\_\_/ NO /\_\_\_/

If "yes," identify the approved drug product(s) containing the active moiety, and, if known, the NDA #(s).

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2. Combination product.

If the product contains more than one active moiety (as defined in Part II, #1), has FDA previously approved an application under section 505 containing any one of the active moieties in the drug product? If, for example, the combination contains one never-before-approved active moiety and one previously approved active moiety, answer "yes." (An active moiety that is marketed under an OTC monograph, but that was never approved under an NDA, is considered not previously approved.)

YES /\_\_\_/      NO /\_\_\_/

If "yes," identify the approved drug product(s) containing the active moiety, and, if known, the NDA #(s).

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IF THE ANSWER TO QUESTION 1 OR 2 UNDER PART II IS "NO," GO DIRECTLY TO THE SIGNATURE BLOCKS ON PAGE 8. IF "YES" GO TO PART III.

**PART III THREE-YEAR EXCLUSIVITY FOR NDA'S AND SUPPLEMENTS**

To qualify for three years of exclusivity, an application or supplement must contain "reports of new clinical investigations (other than bioavailability studies) essential to the approval of the application and conducted or sponsored by the applicant." This section should be completed only if the answer to PART II, Question 1 or 2 was "yes."



1. Does the application contain reports of clinical investigations? (The Agency interprets "clinical investigations" to mean investigations conducted on humans other than bioavailability studies.) If the application contains clinical investigations only by virtue of a right of reference to clinical investigations in another application, answer "yes," then skip to question 3(a). If the answer to 3(a) is "yes" for any investigation referred to in another application, do not complete remainder of summary for that investigation.

YES /\_\_\_/ NO /\_\_\_/

IF "NO," GO DIRECTLY TO THE SIGNATURE BLOCKS ON PAGE 8.

2. A clinical investigation is "essential to the approval" if the Agency could not have approved the application or supplement without relying on that investigation. Thus, the investigation is not essential to the approval if 1) no clinical investigation is necessary to support the supplement or application in light of previously approved applications (i.e., information other than clinical trials, such as bioavailability data, would be sufficient to provide a basis for approval as an ANDA or 505(b)(2) application because of what is already known about a previously approved product), or 2) there are published reports of studies (other than those conducted or sponsored by the applicant) or other publicly available data that independently would have been sufficient to support approval of the application, without reference to the clinical investigation submitted in the application.

- (a) In light of previously approved applications, is a clinical investigation (either conducted by the applicant or available from some other source, including the published literature) necessary to support approval of the application or supplement?

YES /\_\_\_/ NO /\_\_\_/

If "no," state the basis for your conclusion that a clinical trial is not necessary for approval AND GO DIRECTLY TO SIGNATURE BLOCK ON PAGE 8:

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YES /\_\_\_/ NO /\_\_\_/

(b) Did the applicant submit a list of published studies relevant to the safety and effectiveness of this drug product and a statement that the publicly available data would not independently support approval of the application?

YES /\_\_\_/ NO /\_\_\_/

(1) If the answer to 2(b) is "yes," do you personally know of any reason to disagree with the applicant's conclusion? If not applicable, answer NO.

YES /\_\_\_/ NO /\_\_\_/

If yes, explain: \_\_\_\_\_  
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(2) If the answer to 2(b) is "no," are you aware of published studies not conducted or sponsored by the applicant or other publicly available data that could independently demonstrate the safety and effectiveness of this drug product?

YES /\_\_\_/ NO /\_\_\_/

If yes, explain: \_\_\_\_\_  
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(c) If the answers to (b)(1) and (b)(2) were both "no," identify the clinical investigations submitted in the application that are essential to the approval:  
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Studies comparing two products with the same ingredient(s) are considered to be bioavailability studies for the purpose of this section.

3. In addition to being essential, investigations must be "new" to support exclusivity. The agency interprets "new clinical investigation" to mean an investigation that 1) has not been relied on by the agency to demonstrate the effectiveness of a previously approved drug for any indication and 2) does not duplicate the results of another investigation that was relied on by the agency to demonstrate the effectiveness of a previously approved drug product, i.e., does not redemonstrate something the agency considers to have been demonstrated in an already approved application.



4. To be eligible for exclusivity, a new investigation that is essential to approval must also have been conducted or sponsored by the applicant. An investigation was "conducted or sponsored by" the applicant if, before or during the conduct of the investigation, 1) the applicant was the sponsor of the IND named in the form FDA 1571 filed with the Agency, or 2) the applicant (or its predecessor in interest) provided substantial support for the study. Ordinarily, substantial support will mean providing 50 percent or more of the cost of the study.

a) For each investigation identified in response to question 3(c): if the investigation was carried out under an IND, was the applicant identified on the FDA 1571 as the sponsor?

Investigation #1	:	
IND # _____ YES /___/	!	NO /___/ Explain: _____
	!	_____
Investigation #2	:	
IND # _____ YES /___/	!	NO /___/ Explain: _____
	!	_____

(b) For each investigation not carried out under an IND or for which the applicant was not identified as the sponsor, did the applicant certify that it or the applicant's predecessor in interest provided substantial support for the study?

Investigation #1	:	
YES /___/ Explain _____	!	NO /___/ Explain _____
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_____	!	_____
Investigation #2	:	
YES /___/ Explain _____	!	NO /___/ Explain _____
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(c) Notwithstanding an answer of "yes" to (a) or (b), are there other reasons to believe that the applicant should not be credited with having "conducted or sponsored" the study? (Purchased studies may not be used as the basis for exclusivity. However, if all rights to the drug are purchased (not just studies on the drug), the applicant may be considered to have sponsored or conducted the studies sponsored or conducted by its predecessor in interest.)

YES /\_\_\_/      NO /\_\_\_/

If yes, explain: \_\_\_\_\_  
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/S/

Signature \_\_\_\_\_  
Title: \_\_\_\_\_

10/2/98  
Date \_\_\_\_\_

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Signature of Division Director \_\_\_\_\_

10/19/98  
Date \_\_\_\_\_

cc: Original NDA

Division File

HFD-93 Mary Ann Holovac

**DEBARMENT CERTIFICATION FOR NDA 20-571**

**Camptosar (NDA 20-571) full approval supplemental NDA**

Pursuant to section 306(k)(1) of the Federal Food, Drug and Cosmetic Act, the applicant certifies that, the applicant did not and will not use in any capacity the services of any person listed pursuant to section 306(e) as debarred under subsections 306(a) or (b) of the Act in connection with this application.

*Edward L. Patt*

*2/13/98*

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**Ed L. Patt  
Manager  
Regulatory Compliance**

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**Date**

# PEDIATRIC PAGE

(Complete for all original applications and all efficacy supplements)

NDA/PLA # 5NDA 20-571 Supplement # 5-008 Circle one: SE1 SE2 SE3 SE4 SE5 SE6 **SE7**

HFD-150 Trade (generic) name/dosage form: Camptosar Injection  
Cirinotecan hydrochloride injection Action: **AP** AE NA

Applicant Pharmacia & Upjohn Therapeutic Class Cytotoxic (S010100)

Indication(s) previously approved Accelerated Approval for treatment of patients with metastatic carcinoma of the colon, or rectum whose disease progressed following 5-FU-based therapy Pediatric labeling of approved indication(s) is adequate \_\_\_ inadequate N/A

Indication in this application Full Approval for treatment of patients with metastatic carcinoma of the colon or rectum whose disease progressed following 5-FU-based therapy (For supplements, answer the following questions in relation to the proposed indication.)

1. PEDIATRIC LABELING IS ADEQUATE. Appropriate information has been submitted in this or previous applications and has been adequately summarized in the labeling to permit satisfactory labeling for all pediatric subgroups. Further information is not required.
2. PEDIATRIC STUDIES ARE NEEDED. There is potential for use in children, and further information is required to permit adequate labeling for this use.
- a. A new dosing formulation is needed, and applicant has agreed to provide the appropriate formulation.
- b. The applicant has committed to doing such studies as will be required.
- (1) Studies are ongoing,
- (2) Protocols were submitted and approved.
- (3) Protocols were submitted and are under review.
- (4) If no protocol has been submitted, explain the status of discussions on the back of this form.
- c. If the sponsor is not willing to do pediatric studies, attach copies of FDA's written request that such studies be done and of the sponsor's written response to that request.
3. PEDIATRIC STUDIES ARE NOT NEEDED. The drug/biologic product has little potential for use in children. Explain, on the back of this form, why pediatric studies are not needed.
4. EXPLAIN. If none of the above apply, explain, as necessary, on the back of this form.  
No Pediatric Studies have been done. No Data from Pediatric Studies have been submitted.

EXPLAIN, AS NECESSARY, ANY OF THE FOREGOING ITEMS ON THE BACK OF THIS FORM.

JSI  
Signature of Preparer and Title (PM, CSO, MO, other) \_\_\_\_\_ Date 10/2/91

cc: Orig NDA/PLA # 20-571  
HFD-150 /Div File  
NDA/PLA Action Package  
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NOTE: A new Pediatric Page must be completed at the time of each action even though one was prepared at the time of the last action.

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**APPLICATION NUMBER: NDA 20-571/S-008**

**CORRESPONDENCE**





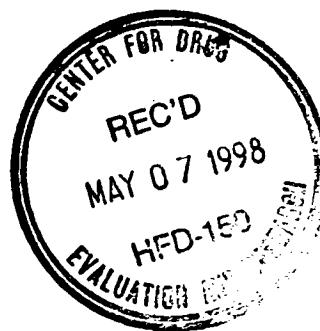
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April 17, 1998

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Re: **NDA 20-571**  
**CAMPTOSAR® Injection**  
**(Irinotecan Hydrochloride Injection)**

**NDA Supplement**  
**Full Approval Supplement**

Dear Sir or Madam:

Under the provisions of 21 CFR 314.71, we are submitting the enclosed 141 volume supplement to NDA 20-571. The supplemental NDA (sNDA) seeks a transition from the current accelerated approval status to full approval status. This supplement consists of the following components:

**Cover Letter**

- Attachment 1 - Form 356h
- Attachment 2 - User Fee Cover Sheet
- Attachment 3 - Certification of CMC Field Copy
- Attachment 4 - Debarment Statement
- Attachment 5 - Pagination System

**Item 11: Location of Case Report Tabulations (Volume 1)**

Case Report Tabulations (CRTs) for studies V301, V302 and 0024 are provided as data listings in the appendices of the respective study reports. The locations of these report sections are provided in Item 11.

**Items 13 & 14: Patent Certification/Exclusivity (Volume 1)**

**Item 1: Overall Table of Contents (Volume 1)**

Item 2: Annotated proposed package insert (Volume 1)

Item 3: Application Summary (Volume 1)

Item 4: Chemistry, Manufacturing and Control Section (Volume 2)

This section includes information in support of the higher Infusion Solution concentration that results from the additional dosage schedule being proposed.

Item 6. Human Pharmacokinetics Section (Volume 6-11)

This section includes information on the pharmacokinetics of CPT-11 and SN-38 associated with the additional dosage schedule being proposed.

Item 8/10. Clinical/Statistical Sections (Item 8: Volume 12-72;  
Item 10: Volume 73-134 )

Two phase III, adequate and well-controlled studies ) are the primary component of this sNDA. These studies were conducted by and provide direct evidence of the clinical benefits of CPT-11. In study CPT-11 was compared to no active treatment, except best supportive care; and in study CPT-11 was compared to infusional 5-FU.

Item 12: Case Report Forms for patients who either died or discontinued treatment due to adverse events (Volume 134-141)

We are providing an archival copy of all volumes listed above and review copies for Items 2, 3, 4, 6, and 8/10. Attachment 5 in Volume 1 provides an explanation of the pagination system used in this sNDA.

As agreed during the pre-NDA meeting of December 11, 1997, one desk copy of SAS datasets and associated documentation for studies is also being provided in this submission.

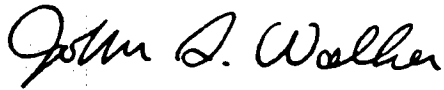
In conjunction with this sNDA, we have submitted a User Fee to the in the amount of However, based on discussions at the pre-NDA meeting and on conversations in January, 1998 between myself and Mike Jones, CSO, FDA Office of Center Director, we understand that a User Fee may not actually be required for this sNDA. We therefore request your assistance in determining whether a user fee is required and that a refund be made, if appropriate.

CAMPTOSAR® njection (NDA 20-571)  
Full Approval Supplement  
April 17, 1998

If you have questions related to this submission, please contact me at (616) 833-8263 or  
address correspondence to mailstop 0636-298-113.

Sincerely,

PHARMACIA & UPJOHN COMPANY

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "John S. Walker".

John S. Walker  
Regulatory Affairs Manager

JSW:law



This application contains the following items: (Check all that apply)

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	B. Samples (21 CFR 314.50 (e) (1), 21 CFR 601.2 (a)) (Submit only upon FDA's request)
	C. Methods validation package (e.g. 21 CFR 314.50 (e) (2) (i), 21 CFR 601.2)
	5. Nonclinical pharmacology and toxicology section (e.g. 21 CFR 314.50 (d) (2), 21 CFR 601.2)
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<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	13. Patent information on any patent which claims the drug (21 U.S.C. 355 (b) or (c))
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<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	17. Field copy certification (21 CFR 314.50 (k) (3))
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	18. User Fee Cover Sheet (Form FDA 3397)
	19. OTHER (Specify)

**CERTIFICATION**

I agree to update this application with new safety information about the product that may reasonably affect the statement of contraindications, warnings, precautions, or adverse reactions in the draft labeling. I agree to submit safety update reports as provided for by regulation or as requested by FDA. If this application is approved, I agree to comply with all applicable laws and regulations that apply to approved applications, including, but not limited to the following:

1. Good manufacturing practice regulations in 21 CFR 210 and 211, 606, and/or 820.
2. Biological establishment standards in 21 CFR Part 600.
3. Labeling regulations in 21 CFR 201, 606, 610, 660 and/or 809.
4. In the case of a prescription drug or biological product, prescription drug advertising regulations in 21 CFR 202.
5. Regulations on making changes in application in 21 CFR 314.70, 314.71, 314.72, 314.97, 314.99, and 601.12.
6. Regulations on reports in 21 CFR 314.80, 314.81, 600.80 and 600.81.
7. Local, state and Federal environmental impact laws.

If this application applies to a drug product that FDA has proposed for scheduling under the Controlled Substances Act I agree not to market the product until the Drug Enforcement Administration makes a final scheduling decision.

The data and information in this submission have been reviewed and, to the best of my knowledge are certified to be true and accurate.

Warning: a willfully false statement is a criminal offense, U.S. Code, title 18, section 1001.

SIGNATURE OF RESPONSIBLE OFFICIAL OR AGENT <i>John S. Walker</i>	TYPED NAME AND TITLE John S. Walker Regulatory Affairs Manager	DATE April 17, 1998
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